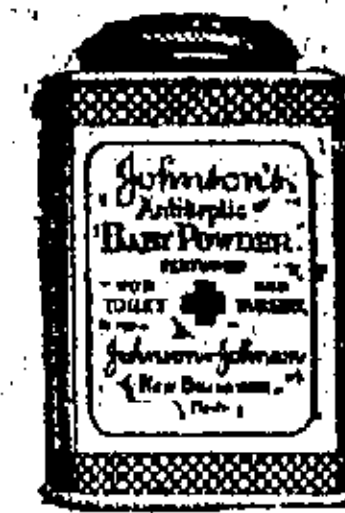


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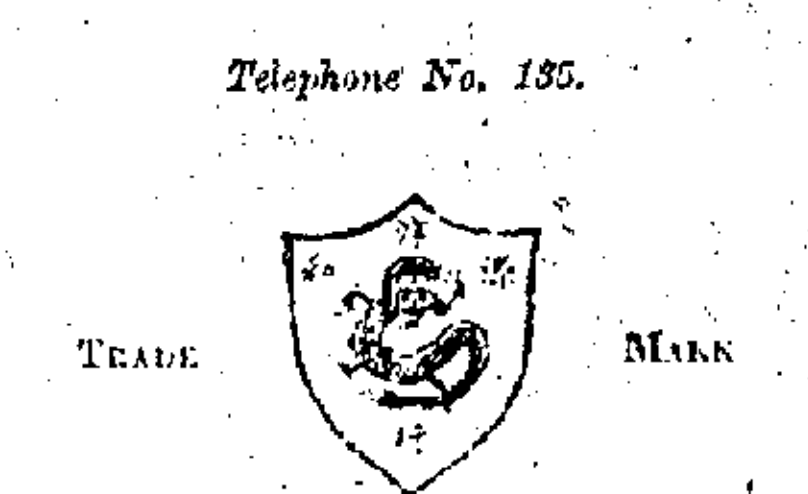
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EDITORIAL COMMENT.

For numberless decades,
THE PASSING OF THE CHINESE CHARACTER OR
OF THE hieroglyphic has had the
CHARACTER, supreme place in China.
To know these grotesque
forms and to be able to use them was
considered the acme, and, indeed, the
only education and true learning. No
matter what culture a man might claim
in science, mathematics, or philosophy,
if he did not know the 'characters of
the sages' he was not considered an
educated man from the Chinese point of
view, and, of course, there was no other
consequently, such a man, no matter
how brilliant his attainments from the
western point of view, was still to the
Chinese a man whose 'education' had
been sadly neglected. One readily con-
cedes the wonderful ingenuity and great
ability which must have been required
to build up the Chinese written lan-
guage. It is really a marvellous system,
but, after a fair trial of 3000 years, it
must be admitted that apart from the
great literary classes who have made it
their one life study it has never been
'understood of the common people,'
and at this time of day it is not unfair
to say it never will. Strange as it may
sound, it is none the less true that there
are still missionaries, although an ever-
decreasing number, who hold the er-
roneous idea that this is the best way
to teach the people to read, and to
attempt any easier method which neg-
lects the character is something approach-
ing sacrilege. When it comes to pass
that the sacred ark of Chinese hierogly-
phs requires the hands of Christian
missionaries to support it, then some-
thing is radically wrong either with the
system or the self-constituted exponents
and defenders. When we turn to the
literary classes of China, we see that
they are reading more and more every
day that Chinese as an exclusive study
is a thing of the past. To say that the
study of English is fast becoming a dan-
gerous rival of Chinese is a fact which
can be easily and conclusively proved
by statistics. The attempt of the reac-
tionaries in Peking to break up the
Imperial University in that city is but
an incident in the onward march of the
English language and liberal education.
Not including the Tung Man Kwan, in
the official and semi-official colleges of
Canton there are probably a thousand
students studying English in that city.
There is only one government school in
Canton where the old *regime* of essay
writing is in force. This school has
fared so badly this year that the head-
master has recently resigned, acknowl-
edging that the day of that kind of
studies has passed. The University of
the Two Kwang, and, indeed, all the
government schools and colleges in Can-
ton, is being remodelled and put on a
western basis. The latest scheme is to
build a large preparatory school inside
the city. Chinese will be retained in
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western education. There are many
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of £150 as at present, and that there should
be only one examination for candidates for
Woolwich, Sandhurst, or the militia. The
report further recommends that 50 com-
missions should be set apart yearly for
students from the colonies, and 100 for
university candidates. At present the
course of study at Sandhurst Royal
Military College is one year. Candidates
are examined for admission, there being
three trials for ordinary candidates and
two for university candidates. Subject to
passing satisfactory examinations at the con-
clusion of the year of instruction students
are given commissions as second lieutenants
in the cavalry or infantry. Students of the
Royal Military Academy, Woolwich, are
destined as officers for the Royal Artillery
or the Royal Engineers.

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LOCAL AND GENERAL.

Hopetoun leaves Australia.

Lady Hopetoun sailed for England on
the 3rd inst. Lord Hopetoun and suite
will leave on July 16, via Brisbane and
Canada.

Theft of Pictures.

Burglars stole a picture by Raphael,
worth £300, and several pictures by Corot
from the residence, at Viveaux, of the
Hamberts, who have absconded from
France.

Kruger's Reception of Peace News.

When Kruger was informed by cable
that the treaty of peace had been formally
signed, he exclaimed 'My God! impos-
sible!' and relapsed into a gloomy silence.
The leading organs of the German press
commented Great Britain 'for building a
golden bridge for a vanquished enemy to
traverse.'

Big Salary Refused.

German papers state that the appoint-
ment of general manager of the huge ship-
ping combine, which is to be known as the
Navigation Syndicate, has been offered to
Dr. Ballin, the general manager of the
Hamburg American line of steamers, the
salary being fixed at a million dollars per
annum. It is stated that Ballin has re-
fused to accept the appointment.

Failure of a Dam.

Messrs Butterfield and Swire's concrete
dam at Quarry Bay, built in 1892, failed
during the recent rains. The base of the
dam appears to have been crushed, causing
the fracture of an iron outlet pipe, through
which the water poured. The reservoir is
now empty. It may be stated that this
dam was designed by an engineer at Home.

Heresy Hunt Abandoned.

The Free Church Assembly of Scot-
land has decided not to prosecute the
Rev George Adam Smith, D.D., for heresy.
Dr Smith is a son of Dr George Smith,
Secretary of the Free Church Mission
Board. He is one of the brightest men
in the Free Church, an original thinker,
an able Professor and a popular preacher
to intellectual congregations. His book
on Isaiah created a stir a few years ago.

Story by Lord Kimberley.

A Home journal says Lord Kimberley
was a great raconteur, and one of his best
stories ran as follows:—An Englishman
had been arrested as a spy by the
French during the Franco-German war,
and, in spite of his protestations, he was
tried by court-martial and sentenced to
death. On the way to execution, as he sud-
denly remembered something, the 'spy'
asked leave to go back and fetch something
he had left behind. Such a thing, declared
his guard, was impossible, but, the pris-
oner's importunity prevailing, he was al-
lowed to go. 'What is it you have left be-
hind?' asked the guard, and the man on
his way to his doom replied calmly: 'I
have left my umbrella.' The soldiers were
convinced that nobody but an Englishman
could be such an idiot, and the man's um-
brella saved his life.

The Thefts from Kelly and Walsh.

Yesterday, Lai Man, master of the
Morse printing office, No. 23, Wellington
Street, was charged with the unlawful
possession of five tins of printing ink,
valued at \$20, and said to belong to Messrs
Kelly and Walsh, printers. Mr. J. Hays,
solicitor, prosecuted, and Mr. J. Hastings,
solicitor, appeared for defendant. Sergeant
Mason spoke to finding the ink on de-
fendant's premises. C. T. Letton, manager
of Messrs Kelly and Walsh's office in Dud-
dell Street, said that on three occasions
since the 6th ult., the shop had been entered
and a large quantity of printing ink
removed. The ink produced in Court
were missed on the third occasion. For the
defence, a Chinese compositor in the
employ of the defendant said that three
of the tins produced were bought by him
last year from an European in Messrs Kelly
and Walsh's place, the price being \$1.80 a
tin. The other two tins were purchased
from a Chinese hawk, the large one cost-
ing 40 cents and the smaller one 15 cents.
After being addressed by both solicitors,
his Worship (Mr. Hazeland) said the onus
lay on the defendant to prove how he came
into possession of the goods, and that had
not been done to his satisfaction. A fine
of \$100, with the alternative of two
months' imprisonment was, therefore, in-
flicted. Chan Pik Chuen, master of a
printing shop at No. 68, Wellington Street,
was then charged with the unlawful
possession of a tin of violet ink, valued at
\$4. Mr. Letton identified the tin by certain
figures, and said it lay on his desk for
three weeks before going missing. The
number of tins missed was between 40 and
50. Mr. Hastings, who again appeared for
the defence, called witnesses to prove that
the defendant was only a director of the
firm, not the manager as stated in the charge,
and that the tin of ink was among the goods
taken over when the business became a
limited liability company. His Worship
deferred judgment till this afternoon.
His Worship not being satisfied that the
defendant was the master discharged him.
The master of the 'Wa Sing' No. 23, Pot-
tinger Street, was charged with unlawful
possession of 34 thick black-binding skins,
a quantity of marble and other paper. He
was defended by Mr. Holmes, solicitor.
Mr. Hays prosecuted on behalf of Messrs
Kelly and Walsh. Case proceeding.

LOCAL AND GENERAL.

The 'Pakshan.'

A Marine Court will assemble at the
Harbour Office on Thursday next, 19th
instant, to enquire into the sinking of the
British S.S. *Pakshan*.

Chinese Coronation Collection.

Mr. Fung Wa Chuen informs us to-day
that the sum raised among the Chinese
community in aid of the general fund for
the local Coronation celebrations is ex-
pected to amount to over \$12,000.

Correction.

In our report yesterday of Police Court
proceedings against a number of Chinese
printers for unlawful possession we men-
tioned that the Koe Shing shop was situ-
ated at the corner of Queen's Road and Li
Yuen Street. The address should have
been given as at the corner of Queen's
Road and Pottinger Street.

Coronation—Postal Arrangements.

During the holidays in honour of
His Majesty the King, the Post Office will
be open during the hours stated below:—
On Thursday, the 26th ult., from 7 till
11.30 a.m. only, for the despatch of the
outgoing German mail.
On Friday and Saturday, the 27th and
28th inst., from 8 till 9 a.m. only.

Vessels Advertised as Loading

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No.	Passes.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
8.....	Chingta (s)	Butterfield & Swire ...	June 28.

Destinations.	Vessels.	Agents.	Date of Leaving.
San Francisco Ports.	Chingtao (s)	Butterfield & Swire	June 28.
London, &c.	Hamburg (s)	Melchers & Co.	June 26, at noon.
London, &c.	Prinz Heinrich (s)	Melchers & Co.	July 10, at noon.
London, &c.	Kaifong (s)	Butterfield & Swire.	June 24.
London, &c.	Strasbourg (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Line	July 1.
London, &c.	Sambia (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Line	July 15.
London, &c.	Sleeta (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Line	July 30.
London, &c.	C. Ferd. Louis (s)	Hamburg-Am'ka Line	August 14.
London, &c.	Ariake Maru (s)	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha	June 19, at noon.
London, &c.	Airido (s)	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	June 23, Daylight.
London, &c.	Yangtze (s)	Doddwell & Co., Ltd.	About June 21.
London, &c.	Idomenous (s)	Butterfield & Swire.	July 20.
London, &c.	Skorbu (s)	Butterfield & Swire.	July 1.
London, &c.	Alcinous (s)	Butterfield & Swire.	July 8.
London, &c.	Sarpedon (s)	Butterfield & Swire.	July 22.
London, &c.	Clysses (s)	Butterfield & Swire.	August 5.
London, &c.	Chusan (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	June 21, at noon.
London, &c.	Formosa (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	June 28, at noon.
London, &c.	Donetta Maru (s)	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.	June 20, at noon.
London, &c.	Zairo (s)	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	June 29, at 4 p.m.
London, &c.	Sakiki-Wachiwosae	Hamburg-Am'ka Line	June 25, Daylight.
London, &c.	Shimosa (s)	Doddwell & Co. Limited	About July 2.
London, &c.	Pranara (s)	Doddwell & Co. Limited	About July 10.
London, &c.	Atthi (s)	Doddwell & Co. Limited	About July 29.
London, &c.	Merionishire	Shewan, Tomes & Co.	About June 29.
London, &c.	Tongal (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About June 29.
London, &c.	Nankin (s)	P. & O. S. N. Co.	About June 24.
London, &c.	Szechuan (s)	Butterfield & Swire	June 19.
London, &c.	Pakhoi (s)	Butterfield & Swire	June 19.
London, &c.	Maidaura Maru (s)	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.	June 25.
London, &c.	Yamaguchi Maru (s)	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.	July 2.
London, &c.	Dejima Maru (s)	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.	June 22.
London, &c.	Eastern (s)	Gibb, Livingston & Co.	June 26, at noon.
London, &c.	Fuji Maru (s)	Mitsui Bussan Kaisha.	June 29.
London, &c.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	June 21.
London, &c.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	June 25.
London, &c.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	July 16.
London, &c.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	July 2.
London, &c.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	July 12.
London, &c.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	Cananda Pile R. Co.	About June 28.

June 18th 1909

Stocks.	No. of Shares.	Value.	Paid up.	Business Transactions, Cash.
BANKS.				
Longkong and Shanghai Bank Corp.	80,000	£ 125	£ 1	\$565, sellers.
National Bank of China, Limited	19,970	£ 10	£ 8	\$27, buyers. £13
Do. Founders' Shares	29,955	£ 10	£ 8	\$27, buyers
	7,700	£ 1	£ 1	\$10, sellers.
MARINE INSURANCES.				
Antion Insurance Office Co., Ltd.	10,930	£ 250	£ 50	\$163, sellers

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Union Insurance Society, Ltd.....	10,000	\$	250	\$	50	\$386, sales
Airline Insurance Association, Ltd.....	8,000	\$	160	\$	0	\$126, buyers
..... fire insurance,						
Shing Fai Insurance Co., Ltd.....	20,000	\$	160	\$	20	\$0, sales & sellers
China Fire Insurance Co., Ltd.....	8,000	\$	250	\$	50	\$330, buyers
..... DOCKS, ETC.						
Yong & Whimpoa Dock Co. Ltd.,	50,000	\$	60	all	\$215, buyers	
..... Co. Fenwick & Co. Limited, & Co.	0,000	\$	25	\$	25	\$0, buyers
..... Amoy Dock Co., Ltd.....	0,000	\$	62	\$	62	\$39, buyers
..... C. F. Farnham, Boyd & Co. Ltd.....	55,700	0,000	100	100	100	\$274, buyers
..... STEAMBOATS, TUGS, ETC.						
..... China and Manila S. S. Co., Ltd.....	20,000	\$	50	\$	50	\$374, buyers
..... H. K. & M. Steamboat Co., Limited	20,000	\$	50	\$	5	\$0, all
..... H. K. & M. Steamboat Co., Limited	20,000	\$	50	all	\$49, sellers	
..... H. K. & M. Steamboat Co., Limited	80,000	\$	15	\$	15	\$84, sellers

S. N. Co.	20.000	10	£ 10	£12
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Hongkew Wharf Co....	20,100	11s. 100	11s100	11s. 30
AND BUILDING.				

Longlong Land Investment and Agency Company, Limited	50,000	\$	100	100	3177 1/2
Shanghai Land Investment Co., Ltd.	30,000	Ths.	50	Ths. 50	The 120, sales
Shanghai Land Building Company	6,000	\$	50	30	\$30, sellers
Shanghai Land Building Co., Ltd.	3,704	Ths.	25	Ths. 25	The 133
Shanghai Estate & Finance Co.	100,000	\$	10	all	\$12, sellers
Shanghai Point Building Co., Limited	12,000	\$	50	50	\$55, sellers
THAMPAW.					
K. High-Level Tramways Co., Ltd.	1,250	\$	100	all	\$830, buyers
THAMPAW.					
Yieh Min Mining & Trading Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$	5	all	\$1, sellers
Yieh Min Mining Co., Ltd.	60,000	\$	10	all	\$1, buyers

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Union Mfg. Limited,	400,000	25 cents	25 cts.	
South Aust. Gold Mining Co., Ltd.	200,000	\$	18/10	\$8, buyers.
.....	115,000	\$	5	5
.....	64,000	\$	5	4 1/2
.....				Nom.
HOTELS, ETC.				
.....	12,000	\$	50	all
.....	7,000	\$	60	50
.....	2,000	Tls.	50	125
.....	4,500	\$	100	100
DISPENSARIES.				
.....	60,000	\$	10	all
.....	10,000	\$	10	all
LIGHTING.				
.....	7,000	£	10	all
.....	8,000	Tls.	50	120
.....	30,000	\$	10	all
.....	30,000	\$	10	all
BRICKS AND CEMENT.				
.....	50,000	\$	10	all
.....	20,000	\$	50	50
.....	8,500	£	12/6	12/6

Business Development
Lynn Community, Inc.

Shanghai Steam Water-heat Co., Ltd.	7,000	\$	10	8	7	\$63, buyers
Shanghai Dairy Farm Co., Ltd.	10,000	\$	74	18	7	\$15, buyers
Shanghai Ice Company, Limited	5,000	\$	23	41	9	\$340, buyers
Shanghai Waterworks Co., Ltd.	2,000	\$	47	20	20	\$340
Shanghai Shipping Company, Ltd.	20,000	\$	100	10	10	\$110, buyers
Shanghai Rope Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	\$	50	18	10	\$17, buyers
Shanghai Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	12,000	\$	10	10	10	\$17, buyers
Shanghai Cotton Spinning and Weaving Co., Ltd.	17,500	Tls.	100	10	10	\$17, buyers
Shanghai International Cotton Manufacturing Co., Ltd.	10,000	Tls.	100	10	10	\$17, buyers
Shanghai Cotton Spinning Co., Ltd.	8,000	Tls.	100	10	10	\$17, buyers

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Co., Ltd.	100,000	20	2	18	825	callers
Bin Bonno Company, Ltd.	7,500	5	20	18	825	callers
Universal Trading Co.	20,000	20	20	23	821	buyers
Robinson Piano Co. Ltd.	3,200	60	50	50	358	
Campbell, Moore & Co., Limited	1,200	10	all	21	821	buyers
M. Patel, Limited	12,000	10	5	19	897	
CHARTER COMPANIES.						
British India Navigation Co., Ltd.	20,000	50	50	50	351	callers

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LOANS.	Amount.	Value.	Interest.	Amortization.
Times Imperial 1888 s.Tl.	787,200 Tl.	250.7 % p. annum	10 % p. ann.	
VERNON and SMYTH, <i>Shareholders.</i>				

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